

**HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR****WPS No. 3419 of 2025****PANKAJ SHARMA *versus* STATE OF CHHATTISGARH****Order Sheet**

16/06/2025	Shri Abhishek Pandey, Advocate for the petitioner. Shri Sabyasachi Choubey, Panel Lawyer for the State. Learned counsel for the State prays for and is granted two weeks time to file reply. Also heard on application for grant of interim relief. Learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that similarly situated employees have filed their writ petitions in WPS No.3070 of 2025 and other connected matters in which an interim order has been passed on 09.05.2025 in favour of the petitioners therein. Therefore, petitioner in this petition is also entitled for interim relief as granted in the aforementioned batch of petitions. Learned counsel for the State though opposed for grant of interim relief, but agreed that petitioners of

	aforementioned batch of petitions have been granted interim relief by this Court as submitted by the learned counsel for the petitioner. He would pray for and is granted two weeks' time to file reply. Considering the submissions made by learned counsel for the parties, it is directed that interim relief granted by this court in favour of similarly situated petitioners in WPS No. 3070 of 2025 and other connected matters on 09.05.2025, is also applicable in the present writ petition under the same terms and conditions. List this matter along with WPS No. 3070 of 2025 and other connected matters for further consideration. Sd./- (Ravindra Kumar Agrawal) Judge
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